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DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE  
**Security Committee**

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SECOM-D-321  
21 April 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Chairman, Compartmentation Subcommittee of  
the DCI Security Committee

FROM: Robert A. Taylor  
Executive Secretary

SUBJECT: Update of Legislative Branch Holders of SCI  
Access Authorizations

1. ☐ Your support is requested in updating the listing of all individuals associated with the Legislative Branch of the Government who currently are approved for access to SCI materials including SI.

2. ☐ Discussion.

a. According to the referenced document, the DCI's Legislative Counsel has been designated as the central coordination point for SCI access approvals granted to individuals associated with elements of the Legislative Branch by any department or agency of the Intelligence Community. A recent review of the holding in CIB indicates that the list may be incomplete. Access authorization may have been granted by some Intelligence Community departments or agencies without registering such approvals with CIB. The Office of Legislative Counsel has requested the DCI Security Committee to provide an updated list. The CIB and Compartmentation Subcommittee are logical elements to comply with this request. The CIB can provide a current printout of authorized personnel. The Compartmentation Subcommittee representatives can make necessary inquiries within their departments to determine the accuracy of the listing, deleting names of individuals known to be no longer associated, and adding names known to have authorized access.

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b. Once the list is updated, it will be presented to the OLC for use as a current data base. Subsequently, the OLC will decide further support services required of the DCI Security Committee and CIB. It is also proposed that the updated list will be made available to departments and agencies represented on the Security Committee for their information.

c. There is no intention of changing procedures already in effect, except as required by the referenced document, if these have not already been implemented by departments and agencies.

X1 3. ☐ The Chairman of the Compartmentation Subcommittee is requested to present this tasking to members of the Subcommittee at the next meeting and have results reported to him within two weeks of the date of the meeting.

X1 4. ☐ The Chief, Compartmented Information Branch is requested by copy of this memorandum to immediately provide the Chairman of the Compartmentation Subcommittee with a current printout of all individuals from the Congress, the Government Accounting Office, and the Library of Congress authorized access to SCI and to update the CIB holdings on receipt of the information furnished by the Chairman of the Compartmentation Subcommittee.

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cc: C/CIA/OS/CIB

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DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE  
Security Committee

SECOM-D-294  
22 November 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR: Members, DCI Security Committee

FROM:

Acting Chairman

SUBJECT:

Congressional Staff Special Access Approvals

1.  In order to clarify the policy regarding sensitive compartmented information (SCI) access approvals for congressional staff personnel, I have been asked to circulate the following guidance:

a. SCI access approvals will be granted to staff members of committees of both houses as required.

b. SCI access will not be approved for members of personal staffs of individual senators or congressmen.

c. Requests for SCI access approvals for congressional committee staff members will be submitted through the Office of Legislative Counsel, CIA.

d. Indoctrinations of congressional staff personnel will be performed by the Special Security Center, CIA.

2.  Your cooperation in notifying the responsible office in your Agency will be appreciated.

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